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The Examiner, for the second time initialed and signed the IDS submitted on July 5, 2005. The IDS submitted on November 3, 2005, which is identical to the IDSs submitted on Jan 18 and Jan 31, 2006 is initialed and signed. The IDS submitted on November 28, 2005 is also initialed and signed herewith.

Regarding the COMMENTS REGARDING STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE, the Examiner still holds the same reasons for allowing the claims over the JP-10-20769 reference. As described in the previous Office action (Notice of Allowance) the JP reference describes most of the claimed inventions. If the applicant disagrees with the reasons, he/she should indicate clearly which limitations are added and which are omitted from the reasons of allowance. Otherwise merely arguing is not enough.

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